

REMARKS

The Advisory Action has been carefully considered. Applicants once again acknowledge with appreciation the allowance of claims 1-19. In order to expedite prosecution, Applicants have elected to cancel the rejected claims 20-23 without prejudice.

Conclusion

Inasmuch as claims 1-19 have been allowed and are the only remaining claims in the application, Applicants respectfully request that this application be promptly passed to issue. If upon receipt of this response the Examiner is of the view that there remain matters which need to be addressed in order to expedite allowance of this application, then the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at 571-203-2757 so that they may be attended to immediately.


Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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